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Applicant : Tohru Watanabe  
 Serial No. : 09/696,393  
 Filed : October 25, 2000  
 Title : IMAGE SIGNAL PROCESSOR AND DEFICIENT PIXEL DETECTION METHOD

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- ☒ Check in payment of \$130 surcharge for filing the basic filing fee and/or declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application;
- ☒ A verified English translation of the application and payment of the \$130 fee required under 37 CFR §1.17(k).

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It is understood that this perfects the application and no additional papers or filing fees are required. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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STATEMENT

I, Toshiharu YAMAGUCHI, a citizen of Japan, residing at 556-1, Aono-cho, Ogaki-shi, Gifu-ken, Japan, hereby state that I believe the attached document is an accurate translation of the U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/696,393 entitled IMAGE SIGNAL PROCESSOR AND DEFICIENT PIXEL DETECTION, filed on October 25, 2000, in the name of Tohru Watanabe.

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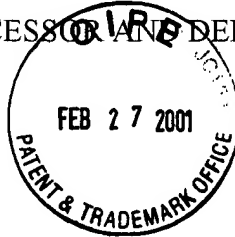
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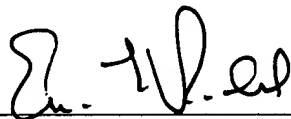
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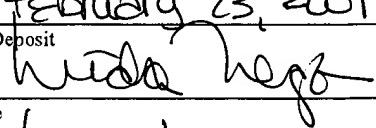
  
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